

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

JAY and JUDY IDE, as parents  
and next friend of JON IDE, a  
a minor child.

Plaintiff,

vs.

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL  
DISTRICT NO. OF TULSA  
COUNTY, aka BROKEN ARROW  
PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Defendants.

) Case No.

) F I L E D

) FEB 12 2001

) Phil Lombardi, Clerk  
U.S. DISTRICT COURT

01CV0105H (E)

**PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR  
ATTORNEY'S FEES AND COSTS**

Plaintiff moves the Court for an order awarding plaintiff his reasonable attorney's fees  
and costs incurred in prosecuting Due Process Hearing No. 1683

Plaintiff seeks an award of \$ 66,712.50 attorney's fees, and \$ 6,480.90 in costs.

Plaintiff sets forth his authorities for such award in the accompanying brief filed  
concurrently herewith, and the evidence supporting such an award in the affidavit  
attached thereto as Exhibit A.

Respectfully Submitted,

**JO ANNE POOL**, Attorney for Plaintiff

*Jo Anne Pool*  
Jo Anne Pool, OBA # 14362

**David R. Blades, OBA # 15187**  
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned certifies that on the twelfth day of February, 2001, a copy of the foregoing PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR ATTORNEY'S FEES AND COSTS to was mailed to :

Andrea Kunkel  
Rosenstein, Fist and Ringold  
525 South Main Suite 700  
Tulsa, OK 74103

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Jo Anne Pool

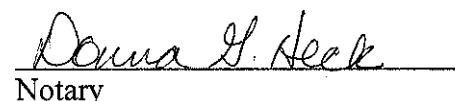
**Affidavit**

I Jo Anne Pool affirm that I expended 258.05 hours of legal services on this action. That I charged \$150 per hour for a total of \$38,700. These hours represent services Expended for pretrial of a due process hearing and nineteen days of hearing time. I Affirm that the attached itemized statement is correct. I affirm that the itemized expenses In this case is correct and equals \$6,480.90



Jo Anne Pool

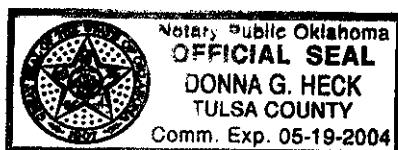
Suscribed and sworn before me on this 12<sup>th</sup> day of February 2001



Donna G. Heck  
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My commission expires.

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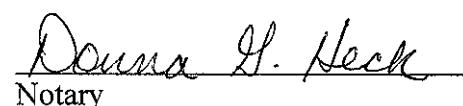
**Affidavit**

I David R. Blades affirm that I expended 187.25 hours of legal services on this action. That I charged \$150 per hour for a total of \$28,012.50. These hours represent services Expended for pretrial of a due process hearing and nineteen days of hearing time. I Affirm that the attached itemized statement is correct.



David Blades

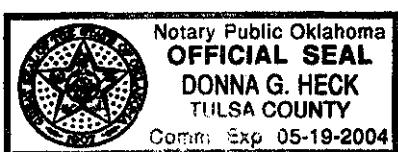
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| Jon Ide v. Broken Arrow Public Schools, DPH<br>No. 1683 |             |              |              |                  |   |
|   | 8-13-99     | 3.50         | 525.00       | 10               | File review. Research regarding FERPA violations, accompanying cause of action under 42 USC 1983, and exhaustion of administrative remedies under IDEA. |
|   | 10-16-99    | 2.25         | 337.50       | 05               | Co-counsel. Identify legal issues.  |
|   | 10-20-99    | 9.00         | 1350.00      | 13               | Draft Due Process Request.  |
|   | 11-10-99    | 4.25         | 637.50       | 12               | Preparation for hearing. Reviewed file and prepare exhibits for hearing.  |
|   | 11-10-99    | .30          | 37.50        | 16               | Hearing Officer with enclosures.  |
|   | 11-12-99    | .50          | 75.00        | 21               | Gary Gerber, director of special services BAPS to Judy Ide.   |
|   | 11-12-99    | 1.25         | 187.50       | 05               | Co-counsel. Review file and discuss legal issues and strategy. Plan discovery.  |
|   | 11-15-99    | .25          | 37.50        | 21               | Opposing counsel to Mr. and Mrs. Jay Ide. Explaining rights.  |
|   | 11-17-99    | .25          | 37.50        | 21               | Opposing counsel to Hearing Officer.  |
|   | 11-19-99    | .25          | 37.50        | 16               | Judy Ide with enclosures. Forwarding letters from School District.  |
|   | 11-24-99    | .50          | 75.00        | 21               | Opposing counsel to Hearing Officer with enclosures.  |
|   | 11-27-99    | .25          | 37.50        | 21               | Opposing counsel to Hearing Officer with enclosures.  |
|   | 11-29-99    | .25          | 37.50        | 21               | Opposing counsel.   |
|   | 11-30-99    | .25          | 37.50        | 21               | Opposing counsel.   |

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|                   | 12-01-99 | .25   | 37.50   | 16        | Opposing counsel.   |
|                   | 12-01-99 | .25   | 37.50   | 21        | Opposing counsel. Extension of time.  |
|                   | 12-05-99 | .25   | 37.50   | 16        | Dr. Mary Jane Bias with attachments. Subpoena Duces Tecum.                        |
|                   | 12-07-99 | .25   | 37.50   | 16        | Opposing counsel.   |
|                   | 12-07-99 | 9.50  | 1425.00 | 13        | Response to subpoena for Judy Ide.  |
|                   | 12-15-99 | .25   | 37.50   | 21        | Hearing Officer regarding continuance.  |
|                   | 12-15-99 | 1.50  | 225.00  | 05        | Co-counsel. Discuss legal issues and status of hearing request. Discuss strategy. |
|                   | 12-28-99 | .25   | 37.50   | 16        | Opposing counsel.   |
|                   | 12-30-99 | .25   | 37.50   | 21        | Opposing counsel  |
|                   | 12-30-99 | .25   | 37.50   | 16        | Opposing counsel.   |
|                   | 12-30-99 | .25   | 37.50   | 21        | Opposing counsel.   |
|                   | 12-30-99 | .25   | 37.50   | 16        | Opposing counsel.   |
|                   | 1-03-00  | .25   | 37.50   | 21        | Opposing counsel.   |
|                   | 1-06-00  | .25   | 37.50   | 21        | Opposing counsel.   |
|                   | 1-10-00  | .25   | 37.50   | 16        | Opposing counsel.   |
|                   | 1-15-00  | .25   | 37.50   | 21        | Hearing Officer.  |
|                   | 1-16-00  | .25   | 37.50   | 21        | Opposing counsel.   |
|                   | 1-17-00  | .50   | 75.00   | 16        | Opposing counsel.   |
|                   | 1-18-00  | .50   | 75.00   | 21        | Opposing counsel.   |
|                   | 1-19-00  | .25   | 37.50   | 19        | Protective Order.   |
|                   | 1-20-00  | 3.00  | 450.00  | 08        | Review of documents requested at the office of defense counsel.                   |
|                   | 1-21-00  | 1.75  | 262.50  | 05        | Co-counsel. Discuss legal issues. Plan additional discovery.                      |
|                   | 1-21-00  | .25   | 37.50   | 16        | Opposing counsel.   |

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|                   | 1-23-00 | 3.00  | 450.00  | 13        | Subpoena's for Streets, Katterhenry, Maxwell, Greer, Hamilton, Dorsey, Summers, Mr. Dean, Reddus, Roberson, Brown, Arnold, Nold. |
|                   | 1-24-00 | .25   | 37.50   | 16        | Hearing Officer with enclosures.   |
|                   | 1-25-00 | 17.00 | 2550.00 | 13        | Witness and Exhibit List. Review all evidence. Identify and name exhibits.   |
|                   | 1-25-00 | .25   | 37.50   | 21        | Opposing counsel to Hearing Officer.   |
|                   | 1-25-00 | .50   | 75.00   | 21        | Opposing counsel with enclosures.  |
|                   | 1-27-00 | .25   | 37.50   | 21        | Opposing counsel.  |
|                   | 1-28-00 | 4.00  | 600.00  | 10        | Eligibility under IDEA for Learning Disabilities. ADD/ADHD served under LD or Other Health Impaired.                             |
|                   | 1-28-00 | .75   | 112.50  | 21        | Settlement Offer.  |
|                   | 1-28-00 | .25   | 37.50   | 16        | Opposing counsel.  |
|                   | 1-29-00 | .75   | 112.50  | 26        | Client to discuss settlement offer.  |
|                   | 1-31-00 | 5.50  | 825.00  | 07        | Attend depositions of Hamilton, Streets and Greer.   |
|                   | 1-31-00 | .25   | 37.50   | 21        | Opposing counsel.  |
|                   | 2-02-00 | 1.50  | 225.00  | 12        | Prepare for deposition of Susan Katterhenry.   |
|                   | 2-03-00 | 3.00  | 450.00  | 07        | Attend deposition of Susan Katterhenry.  |
|                   | 2-04-00 | 3.50  | 525.00  | 02        | IEP eligibility meeting. To consider eligibility for special education services.   |
|                   | 2-04-00 | .75   | 112.50  | 08        | Testing Protocols of School District.  |
|                   | 2-08-00 | 6.00  | 900.00  | 06        | First day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of Judy Ide.  |
|                   | 2-20-00 | 1.50  | 225.00  | 14        | Conference with Judy Ide prior to her continuation on cross examination. Prepare witness.  |
|                   | 2-23-00 | 6.00  | 900.00  | 06        | Second day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of Judy Ide.   |
|                   | 3-06-00 | 6.00  | 900.00  | 06        | Third day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of Judy Ide and Dr. Nelson.   |
|                   | 3-08-00 | .75   | 112.50  | 05        | Co-counsel. Discuss strategy of hearing. Prepare plan for witnesses.   |
|                   | 3-21-00 | 5.50  | 825.00  | 06        | Fourth day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of Dr. Eric Nelson.  |
|                   | 3-22-00 | 6.50  | 975.00  | 06        | Fifth day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of Judy Ide and Hamilton.   |

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|                   | 4-3-00  | 2.25  | 337.50  | 14        | Reviewing exhibits relating to elementary grades. Deposition of Susan Katterhenry.   |
|                   | 4-4-00  | 7.50  | 1125.00 | 06        | Sixth day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of <u>Katterhenry</u> and Streets.  |
|                   | 4-4-00  | 2.75  | 412.50  | 14        | Prepare for Direct Examination of Witness. Review Math records, testing, and exhibits related to 6 <sup>th</sup> grade.              |
|                   | 4-5-00  | 8.00  | 1200.00 | 06        | Seventh day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of Streets and Dorsey.  |
|                   | 4-19-00 | 2.25  | 337.50  | 05        | Co-counsel. Discuss strategy for hearing. Discuss legal issues related to facts. Evaluate witness plan.                              |
|                   | 5-13-00 | 3.75  | 562.50  | 14        | Preparation for direct of school psychometrist, <u>Pinkerton</u> .   |
|                   | 5-14-00 | 2.50  | 375.00  | 14        | Prepare for continuation of Dorsey as witness. Review file and exhibits related to 6 <sup>th</sup> grade, math, and testing records. |
|                   | 5-15-00 | 7.00  | 1050.00 | 06        | Eighth day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of <u>Dorsey</u> .   |
|                   | 5-15-00 | 2.50  | 375.00  | 14        | Exhibits. Direct examination of school counselor.  |
|                   | 5-16-00 | 7.50  | 1125.00 | 06        | Ninth day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of Arnold and <u>Alexander</u> .  |
|                   | 5-16-00 | 1.25  | 187.50  | 14        | Continued testimony of school counselor.   |
|                   | 5-17-00 | 8.00  | 1200.00 | 06        | Tenth day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of <u>Alexander</u> and Summers.  |
|                   | 5-17-00 | 2.25  | 337.50  | 14        | Review exhibits relating to evaluation of student, subsequent meetings.  |
|                   | 5-18-00 | 8.00  | 1200.00 | 06        | Eleventh day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of Evans, Brown and <u>Pinkerton</u> .   |
|                   | 5-19-00 | 6.50  | 975.00  | 06        | Twelfth day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of <u>Pinkerton</u> and Little.   |
|                   | 5-21-00 | .25   | 37.50   | 16        | Expert Witness, Dr. Rineer.  |
|                   | 5-21-00 | .50   | 75.00   | 14        | Preparation by co-counsel to complete direct examination of Little on Monday May 22, 2000.   |
|                   | 5-22-00 | 3.50  | 525.00  | 06        | Thirteenth day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of Little, King and Holleyman.   |
|                   | 5-22-00 | 1.25  | 187.50  | 14        | Direct Examination of school psychologist.   |
|                   | 5-23-00 | 7.00  | 1050.00 | 06        | Fourteenth day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of <u>J.Dwyer</u> and Gasal.   |

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|                   | 2-05-01 | 2.25          | 337.50          | 19        | Hearing Officer Decision. |
|                   |         |               |                 |           |                           |
| <b>TOTALS</b>     |         | <b>258.05</b> | <b>38700.00</b> |           |                           |

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|   | 11-12-99    | 1.25         | 187.50       | 05               | Co-counsel. Review file and discuss legal issues and strategy.  |
|   | 12-15-99    | 1.50         | 225.00       | 05               | Co-counsel. Discuss legal issues and status of hearing request. Discuss strategy.   |
|   | 1-21-00     | 1.75         | 262.50       | 05               | Co-counsel. Discuss legal issues. Plan additional discovery.  |
|   | 1-24-00     | 1.50         | 225.00       | 20               | Identify witnesses to be deposed. Review file.  |
|   | 1-30-00     | 5.0          | 750.00       | 12               | Prepare for depositions of Hamilton, Streets and Greer.   |
|   | 1-31-00     | 5.50         | 825.00       | 07               | Attend depositions of Hamilton, Streets and Greer.  |
|   | 2-01-00     | .50          | 75.00        | 16,28            | Letter to opposing counsel concerning the provision of readable copy of grade book. Also, drove the witness and exhibit list for the administrative hearing to the opposing counsel's office. |
|   | 2-02-00     | 1.50         | 225.00       | 12               | Prepare for deposition of Susan Katterhenry.  |
|   | 2-03-00     | 3.00         | 450.00       | 07               | Attend deposition of Susan Katterhenry.   |
|   | 2-06-00     | 2.75         | 412.50       | 14               | Witness preparation for Direct Examination, Judy Ide.   |
|   | 2-07-00     | 1.50         | 150.00       | 05               | Dr. Eric Nelson regarding test protocols.   |
|   | 2-08-00     | 6.00         | 900.00       | 06               | First day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of Judy Ide.   |

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|                   | 2-20-00 | 1.50  | 225.00  | 14        | Conference with Judy Ide to prepare her for continuation on cross examination.                          |
|                   | 2-21-00 | 1.50  | 225.00  | 14        | Preparation of Witness: Dr. Eric Nelson.  |
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|                   | 3-22-00 | 6.50  | 975.00  | 06        | Fifth day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of Judy Ide and Hamilton.                                |
|                   | 4-3-00  | 1.50  | 225.00  | 14        | Review File and review deposition of Phil Streets to prepare for witness testimony.                     |
|                   | 4-4-00  | .50   | 75.00   | 14        | File Review. Reviewed policy and procedures of BAPS to prepare for witness testimony.                   |
|                   | 4-4-00  | 7.50  | 1125.00 | 06        | Sixth day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of Katterhenry and Streets.                              |
|                   | 4-4-00  | 2.00  | 300.00  | 14        | Prepare for examination of witness, Streets.  |
|                   | 4-5-00  | 8.00  | 1200.00 | 06        | Seventh day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of Streets and Dorsey.                                 |
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|                   | 5-9-00  | .25   | 37.50   | 26        | Dr. Mary Rineer, faxed test information conducted by BAPS   |
|                   | 5-14-00 | 2.50  | 375.00  | 14        | Prepare for direct examination of witnesses.  |
|                   | 5-15-00 | 7.00  | 1050.00 | 06        | Eighth day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of Dorsey, Roberson, Arnold.                            |
|                   | 5-16-00 | 7.50  | 1125.00 | 06        | Ninth day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of Arnold and Alexander.                                 |
|                   | 5-17-00 | 2.00  | 300.00  | 14        | Reviewed SAC and SAC exhibits. Prepared for Testimony of Summers and Brown.                             |

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|                   | 5-23-00  | 7.00   | 1050.00  | 06        | Fourteenth day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of J Dwyer and Gasal.                   |
|                   | 5-24-00  | 1.00   | 150.00   | 05        | Conference with Dr. Rineer regarding testimony in hearing.                                  |
|                   | 5-26-00  | 1.75   | 262.50   | 05        | Co-counsel. Discuss witness plan. Legal issues. Plan hearing strategy.                      |
|                   | 6-15-00  | 2.50   | 375.00   | 14        | Review Exhibits and prepare for Direct Exam of Carol Lunn.                                  |
|                   | 6-16-00  | 7.00   | 1050.00  | 06        | Sixteenth day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of Dr. Gary Gerber and Carol Lunn.       |
|                   | 6-19-00  | 1.00   | 150.00   | 14        | Preparation for continuation of Carol Lunn as witness.                                      |
|                   | 6-20-00  | 6.50   | 975.00   | 06        | Seventeenth day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of Carol Lunn.                         |
|                   | 7-10-00  | 4.00   | 600.00   | 06        | Eighteenth day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of Dr. Rineer and Sandy Montgomery.     |
|                   | 7-11-00  | 3.50   | 525.00   | 06        | Nineteenth day of Administrative Hearing. Testimony of Dr. Chronister and Pinkerton.        |
|                   | 8-08-00  | 4.50   | 675.00   | 13        | Draft portion of Trial Brief  |
|                   | 9-13-00  | 1.00   | 150.00   | 13        | Prepare Trial Brief. Review and edit.   |
|                   | 12-20-00 | .25    | 37.50    | 25        | Client concerning the status of the belated Hearing Officer order.                          |
|                   | 2-05-01  | .25    | 37.50    | 26        | Randall Huggins. Regarding receipt of Hearing Decision.                                     |
|                   | 2-05-01  | 1.50   | 225.00   | 19        | Hearing Officer Decision.   |
|                   | 2-05-01  | .25    | 37.50    | 25        | Client. RE: Hearing Decision.   |
| TOTALS            |          | 187.25 | 28012.50 |           |   |